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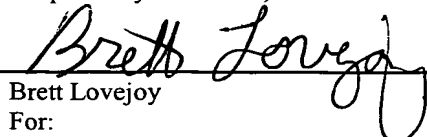
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- ☒ Priority of application no. 60/220,295 filed on July 24, 2000 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☒ Applicant hereby claims Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. 1.27).
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